The Pocahonias Times.

ANDREW PRICE,

Marlinton, Friday, Dec. 17. 1897,

Entered at the post-office at Marlin ton, W. Va., as second class matter.

Surr is to be brought against the late Secretary of State, W. E. Chilton, whose shortage is estimated at \$32,000.

THE trial of Colonel Eastham for killing Frank Thomson, at Pasons, Tucker county, has been on hand for several weeks, and is probably finished by this time. Witnesses of the affair testify directly opposite. A large number say that Eastham fired the first two shots, and an equal number say that Thomson fired the first two shots. In the course of the testimony one witness admitted that he b'ew up the Blackwater Dam at the instance of Easthem This has been a mystery up to the present time. The dam flooded Eastham's fields. A large number of prominent lawyers are in the case on both sides. The issue is extremely doubtful.

NO NEWSPAPER should publish the attempts of people to be funny by making a burlesque of the form of prayer and addresing it to some man of political prominence. It is sacriligious in the extreme. The Webster Echo last week prints an original one more coarse and repulsive than any we have seen. It thank Thee, O Father William," and continues in a way that must have been extremely painful to its christian readers. We have refused to print a couple specimens of low wit like this lately, and we take this opportunity of explaining that we do not believe in that which mocks religion or religious observances.

THE editor of the Hinton Independent-Herald says that the editor of the Pocahontas Times, is a mugwump. Joseph H. Choate says which the Greenbrier River Lumthat a mugwump is a man educated beyond his intellect, and all tracts amounting to over 100,000 ing an examination to determine whether or not we really have softening of the brain.

which was chartered December 5, ally. The limitation of issue of and the spirit fled to the God who pose of acquiring and developing bonds for each acre of land. mineral lands, operating sawmills, mining coal, drilling for oil, operating railway, telephone, and tele- to the trustee to whom this mortgraph lines, bottling mineral wat- gage is given the sum of 50 cents reared. There her form is waiting ers, conducting hotels, stores, etc. upon each thousand feet of timber for the Shepherd's summons, while We presume this gigantic combine the company sells or otherwise her soul is beyond the stars. seeks to monopolize and we expect disposes of. This amount shall be to hear of it getting a corner on held by the trustee for the redem- ents in their sorrow who are so pamoney very soon. The Populists tion of bonds and the payment of tiently awaiting their summons to should look after it very closely. interest on the bonds. Each of join their daughter on high, know-The paid up capital is \$50,000 with said bonds has forty coupons of ing that "He scourgeth every one the privilege of increasing to \$500,- twenty-five dollars each. The first 000,000, (if they can.) The prin- is payable on the 1st day of April, band and children. May they ever cipal office of the company is to be 1898. kept at Lane's Bottom, Webster In order then to secure the pay-County, in a house. One of the ment of these bonds according to incorporators is well - known to their tenor and effect, said compa-Marlinton people. He is no other ny "does grant, bargain, sell, alien, than Mr Dashwood Ricketts, a remise, release, transfer, convey, brother of W. B. Ricketts, of and confirm unto," the said Secur-Klondike.

Tuz first copy of the new Re. in the above two deeds. publican paper at Ronceverte has The conditions are long and nureached us. It has adopted the merous concerning the land rename, "The West Virginia News," maining in possession of the ographically it lacks individuality, Charles S. Fairchild, President of and dies, in about the same man-Ronceverte Messenger and News. Company; and Osborn W. Bright, laurel. The name of the commod-It is issued as the official organ of Secretary. It is type-written on Greenbrier. Monroe, Webster, 117 pages of legal cap paper. Nicholus and Pocahontas counties. and guarantees to advertisers a subscription of 2.000 and that it will be sent to every post office in for August 6 last, this plan of capthe five counties. The salutatory italizing this large tract of land is written by Hon. Alex McVeigh was spoken of as being in view Miller who is a Republican of ten- and in the way that has been done. the Democratic party a few years er it will cut along the footbills of

IMPORTANT DEEDS RECORDED

Three big deeds were recorded in the county clerk's office this EDITOR week which mark the consumation of the land deals which have excited so much interest and roused so many hopes in the people of this county for a railroad. Two of the deeds are executed to the Green-C. M. Warner. of Rochester, is sisters. president; and J. N. Beckley is office in the city of Rochester, into the Linwood Presbyterian Church in Pocahontas County.

New York. The first deed is from Eli M. Upton and wife, of Rochester, to nary troubles developed, and after the Greenbrier River Lumber Co. lingering many months she passed or 35,034 acree in Randolph and Pocchontas. This land lies Esqr., writes: "Her death wa on the headwaters of Greenbrier calm and peaceful, and she had give River, the greater part being in this county. As we understand it, for a home in heaven. Her death this is the land which the Roches- is a sorrowful event to us all, but ter Boom and Lumber Company we try to be submissive to the wi had intended to develop. The consideration recited is one dollar. ed to sustain us in all our bereave This deed is written on twenty-five ments. Thanks be to God wh pages of legal cap, and calls for gave our loved one victory throng twenty four tracts of land.

The second deed to be mentioned is one from John T. McGraw to the Greenbrier River Lumber Company for 66,8721 acre, all situated in Pocahontas county, and comprising 143 original tracts of land of different sizes. The consideration named in the deed is \$668,725, the receipt whereof is begins: "Again we bow down to acknowledged. This deed is a very voluminous document and is closely typewritten on sixty pages of legal cap. This land is situated in the Greenbrier River valley. Thus passeth a big slice of land rich in natural resources, on which county land owners have patiently paid taxes and held for many generations, but which has not repaid them until now in the least the expenses incurred in holding it.

The third deed is of great significance. It is the deed of trust by ber Company mortgages the above agree that mugwumps cannot help acres to the New York Security being mugwumps, and therefore it and Trust Company for \$400,000. is thoughtless and cruel to reroach a victim with his misfor- held on the 2d day of September, church, and was a lady of beautiful proach a victim with his misfor-tune. For instance, if the editor 1897, the Greenbrier River Lum-and a faithful wife. Mrs Rymel la of the Independent-Herald was an ber Company, three thousand and bored earnestly to rear her family idiot, no one would be justifiable fifty shares being represented out in the simple faith in which she livin calling him one. It would be a of the total issue of three thousand ed and died. V'hen her oldest in calling him one. It would be a five hundred shares, it was resolv-death with tybhoid fever the charge perfunctorily, but if anyone the aggregate sum of \$400,000. in crisis. When, broken in health, is really interested in the matter denominations of one thousand she and a young child became the Houch we will take pleasure in undergo- dollars each, dated October 1, 1897 time. to be due and payable in gold coin in the present standard of weight herself-her thoughts being dibear 5 per cent. interest from Oc-THE Gauley River Company, toher 1, 1897, payable semi-annuhas been organized for the pur- bonds is fixed at four dollars in

A provision is made for a sink.

ity and Loan Company, the tracts

Altogether, the county clerk is In the issue of the Times for

der years. He refers to that myth | About the only doubt remaining the Silver Trust, and he believes is whether the road will come by in it like Saint George did the Marlinton and turn up the river notes and accounts not paid by the Thomson, Jos L Dragon. When sun went down on and traverse these lands, or whethago, Mr Miller felt like logicians the Alleghany to Traveler's Resay Adam must have felt at the end pose. A line bult on the latter of the first day, that the sun was route would not occupy the field never to rise again, and so by easy stages he journeyed into the other in anything like the manner the time and January 1, 1898. Research party. Upon the whole we wish route up the principal stream of spectfully, the new enterprise great success. I the county would.

OBITUARY.

Miss Nellie E. Vandervoort.

Died, near Lewisburg, December Miss Nellie E. Vandervoort, aged twenty-one years, eight months and danghter of Mr and Mrs F. P. Vandervoort. Miss Nellie was a very superior young person, and had she brier River Lumber Company, a been spared to realize her hopes and corporation chartered by the State aims there was every promise of West Virginia, 1897, of which her being an inestimable blessing

Several years since she professed secretary, and having its principal her faith in Christ and was received

About two years ago she was prostrated by influenza, but soon after rising from that illness pulme In a recent letter E. D. King

our Lord and Savior, Jesus Chris We will trust in his promises for

our comfort." Some day all these sorrowin ones, who so sadly mourn the de parture of this estimable young la dy will see that while God was goo in giving them such a precious da ghter and kind sister, He was equ ly good in taking her away as h has seen best to do. He does n afflict willingly nor grieve the hea of the children of men. Our Fat er in Heaven never makes mistake He gives and takes away, th blessd be his name.

"Daughter, thou hast left us, Here thy loss we deeply feel, But 'twas God who hath bereft to He will all our sorrows heal " W. T. P.

· Mrs Mecca C. Rymel.

It is with sadness we announ the death of Mrs Mecca C. Rym wife of R. D. Rymel, which occu red at her home at Hunter, Pocahoutas county, on December 7, 1897 The deceased was a daughter of Mr and Mrs Samuel Harper, Sunset, W. Va., and was in the forty- Ervine third year of her age. She leaves a Gregg devoted husband and six children Galfor to mourn her loss.

She had been for a number of ed that the company issue bonds to faithful mother nursed her thro the

She never seemed to think of McLa and fineness, October 1, 1917, to rected to the others. After battling for four weeks with the disease, that fond mother's heart ceased to | McCu beat, her tired hands folded in rest gave it-dying as she had lived in Pullir her child-like faith in the promises Pugh

of our Savior. Her remains were interred in the Rader ing fund, to be formed by paying family cemetary, situated on a Slator beaetiful knoll overlooking the home where she had been born and Sutton Wilson R

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The community extedd their sincerest sympathy to the aged parwhom He receiveth." Great sympathy is felt for the sorrowing husturn to Him, who gnards even the sparrow, for strength to battle with every temptation of life, and be as victorious in death as that angel A FRIEND. Driscol, Dec. 10, 1897.

Burgess Paul D On another page will be found a Ervine Wm D scientific article on wood alcohol. A large number of deaths occur each year from this poison, in all the instances the persons drinking it as an intoxicant. The beginner Gibson M E F & M a rather imposing title for a patent Greenbrier River Company to be in the use of alcoholic stimulants sided newspaper to assume. Typ developed. The deed is signed by is misled by the name and drinks Gatewood Warwk est as the home print looks like the the New York Security and Trust ner that the uneducated sheep eat Hogsett Sam Est ity should be changed to spirits of wood, or some other name which Hannah W R E & C 142 would not delude the drinker into too busy to fix watches this week. thinking he was taking something to "jolt" him.

Please Take Notice.

All persons knowing themselves Loudermilk, S J o be indebted to the old firm of Moore & Hannab, Edray, W. Va., will please settle their notes and accounts by January 1, 1898. All Simmons, j w, n r & w above date will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

Moore & Hannah.

Wood. Blaine R

Wood, Walter

same Per S. B. Moore.

Also all parties indebted to me S. B. MOORE.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR TAXES.

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land in the County of Pocahontas, weich are delinquent for the Barnett, Sabina M non-payment of taxes for the years 1895 and 1896, will be offered for the undersigned Sheriff, at public auction, at the front door of the Court-house of said county, between the hours of ten in the morning and four in the afternoon, on Tuesday, the 4th day of January, Bradshaw, Wm's 1897. Each tract or lot, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold for so much the sold for so

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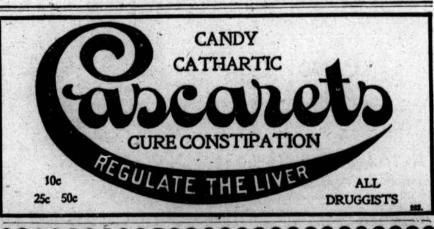
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Given under my hand this 27th day of November, 1897. R. W. HILL, Sheriff of Pocahontas County.



PLOW REPAIRS.

We have at last succeeded in making arrangements

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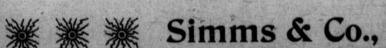
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